THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) to (c) No decision has so far been taken by the Government to add any new industry to the existing list of 27 industries exempted from the applicability of provisions of *MRTP Act, 1969* in terms of Notification No. S.O. 408(E) dated 22-5-1985.

Investment on plant and machinery

2766. DR. C. SILVERA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any representation from Federation of Association of Small Industries of India praying for upward revision of the limit of investment on plant and machinery from Rs. 2 lakhs to Rs. 5 lakhs for the tiny sector; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Since raising of the investment limsts for the tiny units concerns a number of promotional and developmental agencies/organisations, no decision has been taken so far.

Limit of turn over of Small sector

2767. DR. C. SILVERA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to add the limit of turnover in the definition of small scale sector;

(b) if so, how Government propose to monitor the turnover which will always be nonstatic; and

(c) whether any effective check to generation of black money by wrong declaration of turnover by the industry; has been devised?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Committee on dereservation of items reserved for small industry

2768. DR. C. SILVERA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have appointed any Committee to look into the question of dereservation of items reserved for small industry;

(b) if so. whether the Committee has since submitted its report; and

(c) what are the salient features of the Report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) to (c) Government has constituted an Advisory Committee under the IDR Act with a view to determining the nature of any article or class of articles that may be reserved for production by the ancillary or small scale industrial undertakings. This Committee also considers proposals for de-reservation. It functions on a continuous basis and submits its recommendations to the Government from time to time.

Report of Directorate General of Technical Development

2769. SHRI M. BASAVARAJU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Directorate General of Technical Development have not submitted its Report to Government since 1978; and

(b) if not, the reasons for which the Reports were not published?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) The Annual Report

of the Department of Industrial Development incorporating a resume of the activities of Directorate General of Technical Development is being published regularly. In addition, the Directorate General of Technical Development publishes periodical reports on detailed production data, new industrial developments, list of manufacturers of various products, etc. The last such report for the period 1979—83 was released in 1984.

Industrial licences for bicycles and bicycle parts

2770. SHRI M. BASAVARAJU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Letter of Intent and Industrial Licences issued to large units during the last three years for manufacture of bicycles and bicycle parts;

(b) the capacity of each unit licenced for manufacture of bicycles and bicycle parts, separately;

(c) whether any licence has been issued to a large unit for manufacture of any of these items which are reserved for the small sector; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) A statement indicating the letters of intent issued during the period 1981 to 1984 and the capacity approved in each case is appended.

(c) and (d) Under the existing policy a unit in the organised sector manufacturing bicycles can undertake for captive consumption, production of frames, rims and chains only. This policy is also applicable to units who have obtained Registration Certificates under the scheme of de-licensing.

Statement

Sl. No.	Letter of Intent/ Licence No. & Date	Name of the Company	Capacity approved in number	Present Position
1	LI 379/81/EO.44(81) dtd 24-6-1981	Ralson Cycles (P) Limited Ludhiana	50,000	Cancelled
2	LI 157(82) dtd 5-3-82	Shri M.P. Gupta	10,00,000	Cancelled
3	LI 1259/82 dtd 13-4-82	M/s. Nagarjun Steel Ltd.	10,00,000	Cancelled
4	LI 787(8) dtd 31-12-81	Shri D.N. Nejriwal	10,00,000	Cancelled
5	LI 747 (81) dtd 14-12-81	Shri Kulvinder Paul Singh	12,00,000	Cancelled
6	LI 594(1983) dtd 9-9-83	M/s. Samrat Bicycles Ltd.	20,00,000	Being implemented.